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CALFE was devised to cure the water problems of California. We cannot solve our water problems by reapproprating water supplies or taking farmland out of production at a huge cost to the consumers of California.

The real solution is to develop and save more water in wet time by building many more dams. The money that CALFED will spend for land set aside and other programs will eliminate untold numbers of jobs in over 50% of agriculture and supporting industries. Building water storage facilities will cause many new jobs and not eliminate jobs in California.

We are all for saving fish and wild life by generating more water. Radical environmentalist should put up their money to develop more water for fish and wild life. Keep control of water in California not in the muck of Washington D.C.

Sincerely,

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